

## *Charles Francis Adams' Mission*

| OBJECTIVES OF MISSION  | EVIDENCE FROM LETTERS |
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| Address British economic anxieties, e.g., the interruption of trade and the Southern blockade. |                       |
| Prevent Confederate agents from gaining diplomatic recognition and material aid.               |                       |
| Handle concerns about the status of slavery.   |                       |
| Maintain an open and harmonious relationship with the government of Great Britain              |                       |